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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants submitted a first response to the Office action of January 3, 2005, on April 1, 2005, and respectfully request the application be further amended and additional remarks/arguments be considered as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

Applicants are also submitting, concurrently herewith, a "Combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences & Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) (Large Entity)" to extend the period of response two months from April 3, 2005, up to and including June 3, 2005.